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REMARKS

This Amendment After Allowance responds to Supervisory Examiner Chauhan's request to cancel one of claims 21 and 22, due to her concern that they can be read as duplicates. Applicants have cancelled claim 21.

Applicants have also added new program storage device claim 32, which is analogous to, and recites identical elements as, allowed method claim 25.

Finally, Applicants have added new dependent claims 31 and 33, respectively reciting that the machine of program storage device claims 22 and 32 is a computer or data processor. ¶ [0040] of the Specification, as well as original claim 21, each clearly state that an exemplary program of instructions may be executed by an appropriate data processor. A computer is a type of data processor.

If any questions remain open, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney to resolve same.

No additional fees are believed due herewith. If any additional fees are due, the

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Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deemed necessary for the entry of this  
Amendment to Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

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